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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

SHIGERU AIHARA, ET AL.

SERIAL NO: 09/381,295

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FOR: BATTERY



: GROUP ART UNIT: 1745

: EXAMINER: DOVE

LETTER REQUESTING APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES

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SIR:

Please review for approval the proposed changes to the Formal Drawings shown in
RED on the attached photocopies of the drawings.

Once these changes have been reviewed and approved by the Examiner in charge of
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.

☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Marked-up copy of amendments
Abstract
Letter Requesting Approval of Drawing Changes w/attached Fig. 4

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